

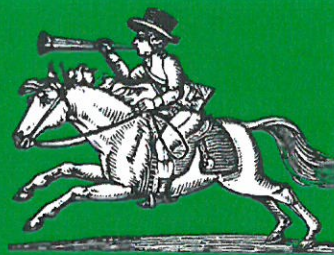


Eighth District

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Fall 2015
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A Message from Councilman Tom Owen



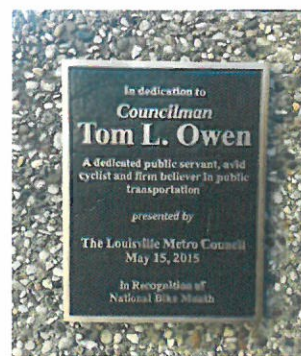
**TAKE A BITE OUT OF
CRIME®**

It was nobody's fault but my own. I got a fully-equipped new bicycle for my birthday and got it stolen in the first week! Yep, as I had always done with my old bicycle, I pedaled to the end of the driveway and propped it up unlocked against the garage which sits behind my house. So, in one night, thieves got my bike while leaving plenty of littered evidence that they had rifled through two of my neighbors' UNLOCKED cars. You really wonder if we'll ever learn.

It's not that I hadn't listened to the monthly preachments of our Fifth District Police Resource officer who reviews crime neighborhood-by-neighborhood at each monthly community meeting. The officer specifically mentions the home and apartment doors unsecured, basement storage bins

open, purses and laptops taken from unlocked cars, and the tools, bikes, lawnmowers, and other equipment taken from easy-to-enter garages and sheds. I really believe that at least 60% of the thefts in the Highlands results from our negligence. I'm a crime victim not because I didn't listen but because I didn't ACT to lock things up. While I'm at it, here are a few other things we can do to **"Take a Bite Out of Crime"**:

1. Especially now that we're into cold weather darkness, please report burned out street lights to Metro Call at 311.
2. Don't hesitate to report suspicious persons or activities in your neighborhood to the Police by calling 911 if there's a crime emergency or—if you can wait for the next available officer to respond—by calling 574-7111.
3. Burn porch and security lights.
4. While I value personal privacy, think of yourself as a one-person watch by checking on neighbors.
5. Work at building communication links with neighbors so that you can share information and concerns about crime in your neighborhood.
6. Finally, and I am being redundant, **LOCK IT UP!**



Bike Rack located in front of Old City Hall, dedicated to Councilman Tom Owen, for his service to Louisville.

You're a part of the LMPD, Fifth Division and you have a new Major!

2301 Douglass Blvd, Louisville, KY 40205
Phone: (502) 574-7636; Fax: (502) 451-6289

This division includes the following neighborhoods: Belknap, Bonnycastle, Bowman, Brownsboro Zorn, Cherokee Gardens, Cherokee Seneca, Cherokee Triangle, Clifton, Clifton Heights, Crescent Hill, Deer Park, Hawthorne, Hayfield Dundee, Original Highlands, Highlands-Douglass, Irish Hill, Rock Creek, Tyler Park and Upper Highlands.

Division Commander: Major Shara Parks



Major Shara Parks is currently assigned as the Commander of the Fifth Division. Parks began her career with the Louisville Division of Police in 2000. She served as a patrol officer and detective in the former Second District. After merger, Parks was selected to be a detective in LMPD's Fifth Division. She was promoted to Sergeant in 2006, and supervised both patrol officers and flex detectives in the Fourth Division. In 2007, Parks was promoted to lieutenant. Her assignments have included: adjutant to the Assistant Chief of Police, adjutant to the Deputy Chief of Police, Third and Fourth Division Patrol sector lieutenant, and Fourth Division Patrol shift lieutenant. She most recently served as the Commander of LMPD's Professional Standards Unit.

Major Parks was a member of the LPD/LMPD Honor Guard for ten (10) years. During her tenure, she served as both the Assistant Commander and Commander of the unit. Major Parks is also a founding member of the Louisville Police Pipes and Drums.

Major Parks earned a Bachelor's Degree, with a double major in Biology and Psychobiology, from Centre College and a Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology from Mississippi State University. In 2010, Major Parks graduated from the Southern Police Institute's (SPI) Administrative Officers Course.

Major Parks is married with 4 children. ***Let's help Major Parks feel at home in her new position!***

Pay-By-Cell Benefits for Parking (PARC)



How do you benefit from using PassportParking Mobile Pay?

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Go to www.Louisvilleky.gov and click on Parking Authority (PARC) to learn more and sign up!



Parking is always at a premium in the Highlands! Here are some Metro Ordinances that are good to know before hitting the street with your fine automobile.

§ 72.034 MANNER OF PARKING.

- (A) It shall be a parking violation for the operator of any vehicle to stop or park the vehicle in a manner other than with its right-hand side toward and parallel with the curb, except that where parking is permitted on the left side of a one-way street, the left-hand side shall be so parked, and except for commercial loading and unloading on one-way streets.
- (B) No vehicle shall be parked or left standing on any street unless its two right wheels are within six inches of and parallel with the curb, except that on one-way streets where parking is permitted on the left side the two left wheels are to be within six inches of and parallel with the curb.
- (C) No vehicle shall be backed to the curb on any street, except that trucks may do so when loading and unloading provided that such loading, unloading, and delivery of property and material shall not consume more than 30 minutes, or unless expressly permitted to do so by duly authorized pavement markings and signage. Such backing of trucks is prohibited at all times and on all streets in Metro Government where any truck so backed interferes with the use of the roadway of moving vehicles or buses or occupies road space within ten feet of the center line of the street.
- (D) The Director of Works may establish diagonal parking at certain places, requiring the parking of vehicles at a certain angle to the curb and within a certain portion of the roadway adjacent thereto. However, diagonal parking shall not be established where the roadway space required therefore would be within ten feet of the centerline of any street. The Director of Works shall designate such places by suitable signs, and shall indicate by markings on the pavement the required angle and the width of the roadway space within which such vehicle shall park.
- (E) It shall be a parking violation for the operator of any vehicle to so park such vehicle that any part thereof shall extend beyond the lines marking the side or the rear of the space assigned for one vehicle.

§ 72.035 LIMITATIONS OF STOPPING AND PARKING.

It shall be a parking violation for the operator of any vehicle to stop or park such vehicle except in a case of real emergency or in compliance with the provisions of this traffic code or when directed by a police officer or traffic sign or signal at any time in the following places:

- (A) On the mainly-traveled portion of any roadway or on any other place in the roadway where vehicles stand in any manner other than as specified in § 72.034.
- (B) Within an intersection.
- (C) On a sidewalk.
- (D) Within four feet of a public or private driveway.
- (E) Within ten feet of a fire hydrant.
- (F) Within a crosswalk.
- (G) Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when stopping or parking would obstruct traffic.
- (H) Close enough to any railroad track so as to obstruct the movement of locomotives or cars.
- (I) Within any part of an alley within the central traffic district.
- (J) On that portion of public property located between the sidewalk and the curb-line of the street or, where there are no sidewalks, off of any paved area.
- (K) Within any area marked as a TARC zone.
- (L) Within any area where official signs prohibit parking and stopping.
- (M) In front of sidewalk ramps provided for persons with disabilities.
- (N) On each corner and all eight sides of an intersection, within 30 feet from the beginning and/or ending of any intersection, flashing beacon, stop sign, or traffic control signal located at the side of a roadway.

Who is Responsible for Cleaning up Alleys, Right-of-Ways and Streets?



Who is responsible for cleaning the alley behind my house?

It is the responsibility of the person or company owning or occupying the property to remove all rubbish, weeds, trash, waste, or litter from the center line of the alley, street or easement that borders the property to the property line. This is found in the City Codified Ordinances Chapter 156.

Am I also responsible for the street and sidewalk that is in front of my house?

If your property borders a public area such as sidewalks, steps, driveways, parking spaces, and similar paved areas for public use, you are responsible for the upkeep of this area. This includes keeping the area free of all overhanging trees, shrubs, and other debris that block walkways, as well as keeping it from dangerous conditions. If any portion of a sidewalk or driveway is a danger to the public, the dangerous section must be repaired by the owner.

What is Rubbish?

Rubbish is any combustible and noncombustible waste material, except garbage. This includes but is not limited to, residue from burning of wood, coal, coke; wood; paper; rags; cartons; boxes; wood; excelsior; rubber; leather; tree branches; yard trimmings; tin cans; metals; appliances; glass; dust; etc. What is the standard measurement of weeds before it is considered overgrowth and violates the law? Weeds or plant growth over 10 inches is considered overgrowth. Weeds are defined as all grasses, annual plants and vegetation other than trees or shrubs. All noxious weeds are prohibited. This does not include cultivated flowers and gardens.

What are the penalties for breaking the law?



Any person who violates this ordinance is subject to civil and/or criminal penalties and fines ranging from \$25 to \$1,000 and possibly the cost of the cleaning. In summary, it is the responsibility of all residents who are adjacent to public alleys, right-of-ways, streets and sidewalks to maintain that property as they do their personal property. This includes removal of all rubbish, weeds, and other refuse.

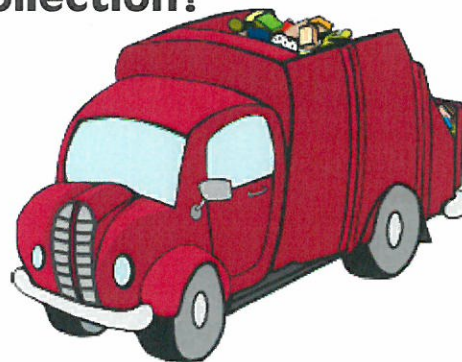
Louisville, in the Urban Service District, offers several services to assist with sanitation disposal. This includes, but is not limited to, weekly trash pick up and quarterly junk pick up. To find out when your weekly or quarterly pick up is, contact MetroCall at by phoning 311 or email Metrocall@louisvilleky.gov.

In the Suburban Service District residents contract with local waste haulers for weekly trash pick up and recycling. There is A FREE JUNK DROP-OFF DAY each SPRING and FALL. It is held at the OUTER LOOP LANDFILL which is privately owned. Therefore the dates are not announced until a week or two ahead of time to minimize illegal dumping. On the date announced, residents can take anything to drop-off except yard waste, tires, household hazardous materials and batteries. **Call Metro 311 for more info!**

What can and can't I set out for Junk Collection?

What to set out When, Where and How:

- Items must be set out near but sufficiently separated from your normal trash collection point.
- Items must be set out before 6 AM on Monday of your collection week but no earlier than 4 PM on the Friday before your collection week. Those setting out items at other times are subject to civil penalties from \$100 to \$1000 per day per violation, as well as criminal prosecution and cost of cleanup.
- All items must come from the household where they are set out.
- Small items must be bundled or put in plastic bags with a loaded weight below 60 pounds. Do not use garbage cans or cardboard boxes.
- Tree branches and brush no greater than 4 inches in diameter must be cut in four foot lengths and separated from other items so woody waste can be recycled into compost.
- Doors must be removed from large appliances such as refrigerators and freezers.
- No more than four tires per residence.



What NOT to set out:

- No dirt, gravel or construction or demolition debris.
- No auto parts.
- No computer equipment. (See Electronics Recycling for environmentally friendly disposal.)
- No hazardous materials such as motor oil, batteries, paint, gasoline, antifreeze, pool chemicals or lawn chemicals. (Those may be disposed of through Haz-Bin).

Graffiti Cleanup - Every Day!

Ralph Weible, pictured, removes graffiti throughout the 8th and 9th Districts in Louisville on a daily basis. The program, managed by the Highland Commerce Guild, is financed through grants from Tom Owen and Bill Hollander's Neighborhood Development Funds, without which it would not be able to operate.

We Need Your Help! Graffiti would cover the Highlands without this program!



Report and Support! See Graffiti? Email GraffitiBuster@gmail.com.

Support the cleanup! Donate at HighlandCommerceGuild.com, a 501(c)(6) organization

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Join us at one of our monthly meetings!

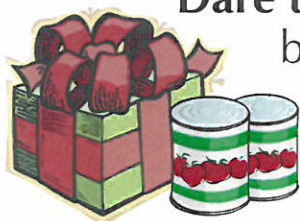
Last Wed. of the month, 8:30 a.m.

Gilda's Club Louisville, 633 Baxter Ave.

Taking Care of Highlands Business?

- Advocate for the Highlands Business District
- Graffiti Abatement Program
- Bardstown Road Aglow
- Liaison to Government Representatives
- Cleanup of Bardstown Rd./Baxter Ave. Spring & Fall
- Collaborate with Neighborhoods, HCM, Event Organizers

Community Events



Dare to Care Food Pantry and Holiday Presents Collections
by Highlands Community Ministries, for families in
need in 40204 and 40205. November & December.
Call 451-3695 or visit www.HCMLouisville.org.

| "Talk with Tom" 2016 Casual Gathering with the Councilman Saturdays, 9-11 a.m. | | |
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| Nov. 28 2015 | Quill's Coffee | 930 Baxter Ave. |
| Jan. 30 | Heine Brothers' | 3060 Bardstown Rd. (Gardiner Ln.) |
| Feb. 27 | Heine Brothers' | 3060 Bardstown Rd. (Douglass Loop) |
| Mar. 26 | Safai Coffee | 1707 Bardstown Rd. |
| Apr. 30 | Day's Coffee | 1420 Bardstown Rd. |
| May 28 | Panera Bread | 1534 Bardstown Rd. |
| June 25 | Heine Brothers' | 1295 Bardstown Rd. (Longest Ave.) |
| July 16 | Dunkin' Donuts | 1250 Bardstown Rd. |
| Aug. 27 | Highland Coffee | 1140 Bardstown Rd. |
| Sept. 24 | Starbucks | 972 Baxter Ave. |
| Oct. 29 | America, The Diner | 962 Baxter Ave. |
| Nov. 28 | Quill's Coffee | 930 Baxter Ave. |

30th Anniversary!

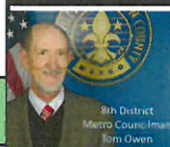
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Dusk 'til 10pm

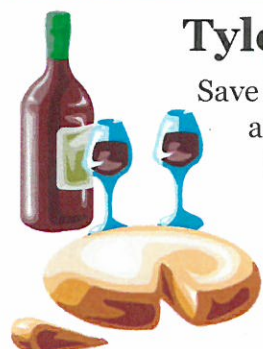


"Maker's Giving Mug" Holiday Drink Contest

Preview Party, Wed., Nov. 25, 5-7pm

Seviche, 1538 Bardstown Rd. Free!

Sample Holiday Drinks by participating Aglow locations
to kick off the giving season! Holiday drinks served in a
take home Maker's Giving Mug available at participating
Aglow locations Wed., Nov. 25 through Aglow.
Proceeds benefit Highlands Community Ministries!



Tyler Park Wine Tasting Event 2016

Save the date for the Tyler Park Annual Wine Tasting, January 31, 2016 from 5 to 7pm
at Mid City Mall. Tickets will go on sale at The Wine Market the Saturday of
Bardstown Road Aglow. Thanks to Wine Market and ValuMarket for their
sponsorship of this event. The theme this year is Italy with Italian wines, food,
and music. Proceeds will continue to go to the Tyler Park Fund to implement
the Master Plan. Contact Jo_Shipley@bellsouth.net or call 456-1020 if you
are interested in volunteering to help with this event.

8th District Community Contact List

Belknap Neighborhood Association: Ann Hager, 502-314-3065, awhom@aol.com, info@belknapneighborhood.org; (2nd Wed of most months; 2440 Bardstown Road, 2nd Floor Community Meeting Room) 7:00 pm
Website: www.belknapneighborhood.org • Facebook: Belknap Neighborhood

Bonnycastle Homestead Association: Stan Wetzel, 502-741-8098 sww192323@aol.com, (2nd Tues., Commodore Building, 7:00 pm)

Cherokee Triangle Neighborhood Association: Tim Holz, Tim_Holz@b-f.com cherokeetriangle@bellsouth.net; (3rd Mon., Library at MidCity Mall, 7:00 pm)

Deer Park Neighborhood Association: Susan Harmon, sharmon5236@gmail.com P.O. Box 5152, Louisville Ky. 40205; (2nd Thursday of each month at Bardstown Road Presbyterian Church)

Highland-Douglass Neighborhood Association: Jay Douds, andrew215@aol.com (1st Wed., Douglass Community Ctr., 6:30pm)

Original Highlands Neighborhood Association: Matt Blair, jmatthewblair@icloud.com, 287.3938 (3rd Mon., at Highland Community Ministries, 1228 E. Breckinridge St., 7:00pm)

Tyler Park Neighborhood Association: Brian Caudill, 1647 Beechwood Avenue, 40204, 439-8030 Brian.caudill@att.net (4th Thurs., Library at MidCity Mall 7 p.m.)

Upper Highlands Neighborhood Association: Ed Fallon, Ed.Fallon@parkcommunity.com 3rd Wed. of every other month – Jan., Mar., May, July, Sept., Nov. 7 pm Sullivan University College of Pharmacy, 2100 Gardiner Lane

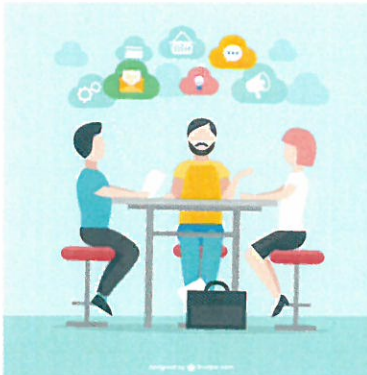
City of Strathmoor Manor: Brian Cobb, cobbbrrianw@hotmail.com, 502-396-3968 P.O. Box 5459 Louisville, KY 40255 (4th Thursday, Republic Bank, 2801 Bardstown Rd. 7 p.m.)

Highland Commerce Guild: Larry Rother, 235.2707, P.O. Box 4516, 40204 LarryRother@ThehighlandsofLouisville.com; (last Wed. 8:30 a.m., Gilda's Club, 633 Baxter Ave.)

City of Strathmoor Village: Mayor Jay Bowman, 276.5440; mayor@cityofstrathmoorvillage.com (2nd Monday, First Capital Bank, Bardstown Rd. and Gladstone Ave., 6:30 pm)

City of Kingsley: Mayor Rebecca Beld, 452.6478; www.cityofkingsley.org (1st Thurs., First Capital Bank, Bardstown Rd. and Gladstone Ave., 7:00 pm)

City of Seneca Gardens: Mayor David Brown, 459.2780; info@cityofsenecagardens.com PO Box 5217 Louisville, KY 40255-0217 (3rd Monday, Keneseth Israel Synagogue - rear, 7:00 pm)



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louisvilleky.gov/government/metro-call-311/services/download-311-app

Louisville Metro Frequently Called Numbers

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| Air Pollution Control | 574.6000 |
| Animal Control | 363.6609 |
| Crisis Center | 589.4313 |
| Councilman Tom Owen | 574.1108 |
| County Clerk | 574.5700 |
| Court Information | 574.5803 |
| Drivers License Information | 595.4405 |
| Emergency | 911 |
| Health Department | 574.6520 |
| Highland Comm. Ministries | 451.3695 |
| Inspections, Permits and | |
| Licenses (Codes & Regulations) | 574.3321 |
| LG&E | 589.1444 |
| Louisville Water Company | 569.3600 |
| Louisville Zoo | 459.2181 |
| MetroCall | 311 or 574.5000 |
| Metro Council Clerk | 574.3902 |
| Metro Parks | 456.8100 |
| Metro United Way-Help Line | 211 |
| MSD (sewers) | 587.0603 |
| Mosquito Control | 574.6650 |
| Planning and Design | 574.6230 |
| Poison Control | 589.8222 |
| Police Dispatch | 574.7111 |
| Property Valuation | 574.6380 |
| Public Library | 574.1611 |
| Sheriff | 574.5400 |
| TARC | 585.1234 |
| Voter Registration | 574.6100 |



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